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SUBJECT: SHARP RISE IN FRENCH TUNA CATCH

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1. THE CATCH OF YELLOWFIN AND SKIPJACK TUNA BY FRENCH FISHING VESSELS EXCEEDED 27,000 METRIC TONS DURING THE FIRST SIX MONTHS OF 1974 COMPARED WITH ONLY 31,400 TONS IN ALL OF 1973, ACCORDING TO THE FRENCH WEEKLY, LE MARIN, JULY 19, 1974. MOST OF THE CATCH CAME FROM THE EASTERN ATLANTIC. ONLY TWO LARGE SEINERS OPERATED IN THE EASTERN PACIFIC; NO VESSEL FISHED IN THE CARIBBEAN. COMMENT: A MAJOR PART OF THE INCREASE WAS ACCOUNTED FOR BY THE NEW VESSEL CAPACITY REPORTED IN REFAIR. AT THIS RATE, THE ANNUAL TOTAL COULD APPROACH 60,000 METRIC TONS. END COMMENT.

2. LE MARIN REPORTED THE FOLLOWING PRICES FOR TUNA LANDED IN FRANCE:

YELLOWFIN (OVER 10 KG) - 4.65 FR PER KG.

YELLOWFIN (UNDER 10 KG) - 4.25 FR PER KG.

SKIPJACK (OVER 2 KG) - 3.25 FR PER KG

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SKIPJACK (UNDER 2 KG) - 2.85 FR PER KG

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